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THE LOVE OF PATENT MEDICINES.

There does not seem to have ever been
a time when people were not willing to
believe in nostrums for the cure of real
or fancied ills, writes a correspondent in
"The Times." In the medical recipes
included in nearly every one of the old
cookery books at present on exhibition
at the London Library may be found the
origin of the use of patent medicines
which many of us to-day cherish as a
secret cure.Nobody makes at home now "cures
for the stone," or remedies for the
plague, "pain in the stomach," the bite
of a mad dog, or pox marks, so the lover
of patent medicines and their number is
surprisingly large, as any truthful chemist
will confess—have to find solace in some-
thing that is prepared by the gallon, and
proclaims its virtues publicly. Some
countries ago great ladies kept books in
which they noted their own and other
people's cures, and even noblemen and
famous medical men were not above the
weakness of exchanging recipes for aches
and pains.In "The Queen's Closet Opened"
(1653), described as containing "incom-
parable secrets in physick, chirurgery,
preserving, curing, and cookery," as
they were presented to the Queen by the
most experienced persons of our times,
many whereof are honoured with her
own practice when she pleased to descend
to these more private recreations, there
are some very quaint suggestions for sea-
sonable complaints, as for instance:—

FOR HURRY IN THE TOILET.

Make a Cap of brown paper, perfume
it with Frankincense, and apply it hot
to the head. Then take the hard Eggs
and lay them hot to the Nape of the
Neck, and anoint the Throat with Oyle
of Rice and sweet Almonds and lay your-
self to Sleep, and after sweating, mix
Mol Possum Syrup of Mulberries, and
Plainain, water together and gargle the
Throat therewith. In want of the said
Syrup use Washine water.

TO PROMOTE SLEEP.

Bruise a handful of Aniseeds and steep
them in red Rose water and make it up
in little bags, and bind one of them to
each Nostril and it will cause sleep.

FOR THE SCARF.

Take a pound of yellow Wax, six
spoonfuls of the juice of Marjoram and
red Sage, two spoonfuls of the juice of
Onions, of Aniseeds, Cloves, Frankin-
cense, Mace, and Nutmegs; of each one
pennyworth, and as much Turpentine;
boil these together to the consistence of
a salve and so apply it.In Sir Kenelm Digby's Receipt (1658)
there is:—
A SYMPLECTIC OYLE OF THE TOOTH-ACH.With an Iron nail raise and cut the
gum from about the Teeth, till it bleed
and that some of the blood stick upon
the nail; then drive it into a wooden
beam up to the head; after this is done
you never shall have the tooth-ach in all
your life. (But whether the man used
any Spell, or said any Words while he
drew the nail, I know not; only I saw
done all that is said above; this is used
by several persons.)
Mr. Edward Krichenck has recently
lent a delightful manuscript collection of
medical and surgery recipes, copied out
in Queen Anne's reign from the recipe
books of "dwell families," including
"The Bright Nible and Most Honble
Lord Butcher, Earle of Gowry, Sir Wil-
liam Ellis, M.D., Sir Thomas Lower,
M.D., and Sir John James, M.D." and
many "Lady and Gentlewomen." This
is now included in the collection. In it
are the following recipes:—

TO CURE CHILBLAINS.

Take two ounces of bees wax and half a
pint of salted oyle and melt them
together in a earthen pipkin; then add
to it as much flower well powdered as
comes to a pinting, and when it is well
incorporated together put it up for your
use, and if the blaine be broke dress it
once or twice a day as you see occasion.with a plaster on it. If it be very foul,
wash it with warme milk or Butter, and
Dew.

FOR A SCALD OR BURN.

Take Daily Meale Sifted and make a
paste with cold fresh Butter and spread
it on fine cloth and apply it to the sore
twice a day. Keep the sore very clean
with wiping.After reading these prescriptions one
has a feeling of devout thankfulness that
medicine has progressed, and that the
kindly ladies who take courses of home-
nursing will not be likely to study some
of these ruthless remedies.ENCOURAGEMENT OF IRON
INDUSTRY IN JAPAN.

REPRESENTATIONS IN THE DIET.

The Committee in the House of Repre-
sentatives entrusted with the investigation
of a Representation on the encouragement
of the iron industry met on the 14th
instant.Mr. Ohnishi asked if the Government
intended to convert the Wakamatsu Steel-
works into an institution of a semi-official
character, or transfer it to private
management.Mr. Kono, Minister for Agriculture and
Commerce, replied that the future of the
Wakamatsu Works depended on the decision
of the Diet.Replying to another question, Mr. Kono
said that as to the granting of subsidies
to private enterprises for iron and steel
making, the Government had no proposal
under contemplation. Although there
was a practical stoppage of the import
of iron and iron goods, he did not think
it was due to the tariff. If the tariff was
found to be responsible for the stoppage
of the import of iron, the Government
would not hesitate to improve the exist-
ing conditions.Dr. Kobayashi Ushisaburo said that as
long as the future of the iron industry
depended on a sufficient supply of
materials, the tariff question was of
considerable importance. The speaker
wished to know whether the Government
was taxing the iron ores imported from
China and Manchuria.Mr. Machida, Government delegate,
said that the duty on iron could not be
called high, as it did not amount to more
than 4 or 5 per cent. The abolition or
reduction of the tariff would, no doubt,
be very convenient to importers but was
not likely to benefit the general public.Mr. Kobayashi, Chairman of the Com-
mittee, said that the Representation had
three objects in view—that is, the exten-
sion of the Wakamatsu Steelworks, the
encouragement of private enterprises, and
a reduction of the tariff. The Govern-
ment had expressed its concurrence in
the first and second objects but demurred
to the third.The Committee decided to strike out
the clause regarding the reduction of the
tariff.—"Japan Chronicle."COUGHING INTO
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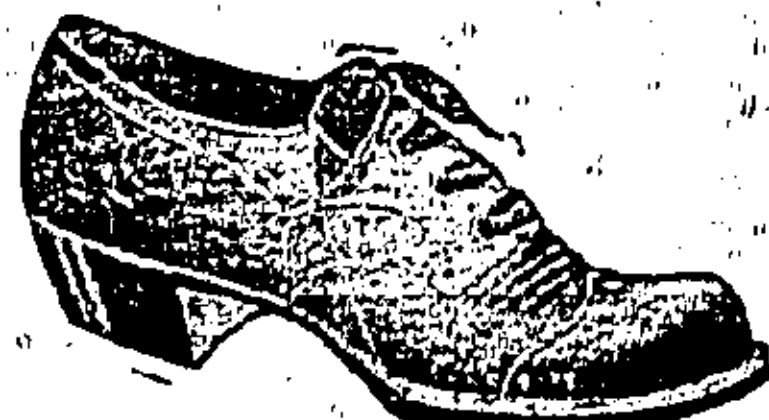
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THE CONTROL OF SHIPPING.

MR. RUNCIMAN'S STATEMENTS.

MORE ABOUT PROFITS.

The enormous rise in freight rates was
again discussed in the House of Commons
yesterday, reports the Times of Jan. 20.
In reply to questions from Mr. John, Mr.
Field, Mr. Goldstone, Mr. Houston, Mr. and
Snowdon, the President of the Board of
Trade made the following statement:—

"The subject has for some time past
been receiving the constant attention of
the Government, and it is undoubtedly
one of the most important problems we
have to face at this stage of war. (Cheers.)
There is a serious shortage of the world's
tonnage as compared with the world's
requirements. We went fully into the
question of commandeering the whole of
British tonnage, in order to regulate
freights, and came to the conclusion—
a conclusion which is, I believe, confirmed
by all the experts who have studied the
question—that this particular remedy
would only aggravate the shortage of ton-
nage available for the United Kingdom
and the Allies. It would, in short, make
things worse.

"We did, however, in November take
steps, firstly, to restrict the employment of
British ships between foreign ports, and
secondly, to requisition ships for the
carriage of foodstuffs. We are now taking
steps to co-ordinate more closely the
demands for tonnage for military and
naval purposes and for munitions and food
for ourselves and the Allies; to secure
economy in the use of requisitioned
tonnage; and to increase the amount of
tonnage available.

"The recent rise in the Plate rates was
largely due to the fact that a large number
of steamers which were fixed for other
business (mainly the conveyance of food-
stuffs from the Argentine to this country)
had to be requisitioned suddenly by the
Transport Department to bring nitrate
for making explosives from the West Coast
of South America. Their only steamers
available to take their place were neutral
vessels, and neutral vessels, owing to their
immunity from requisition, can command
higher rates than British ships.

"By stricter co-ordination we hope to
avoid sudden rises of this kind in future,
and by strict economy in the allocation and
use of tonnage we shall be able to meet all
the essential requirements both of ourselves
and of the Allies; but then for economy of
tonnage in every Department is impera-
tive, and articles which are not strictly
necessary at the present moment may have
to be shut out. (Cheers.)

Answering further questions Mr. Run-
ciman said:—

"The Admiralty was aware of the fact
that any economies they could make in the
use of tonnage would be for the public
good, and they were conferring with other
Departments on the subject.

"The Port and Transport Committees
had already communicated to the Govern-
ment their suggestions with regard to dock
labour and were trying to make arrange-

ments that some of the labour which was
necessary should be returned from the
forces to this necessary work. They were
doing all they could to induce vessels which
had gone out with cargo to bring cargo
backwards.

"The Board of Trade had done every-
thing in their power before last November
to prevent sale of British tonnage to
neutrals and threatened to their power by
Act of Parliament. Since that Act was
passed no vessels had been transferred
without the formal sanction of the
Admiralty, and of the Board of Trade. It
was a fact that between 200 and 300 British
ships had been sold to neutrals since the
beginning of the war."

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STATEMENT BY PRESIDENT OF BOARD
OF TRADE.

Later Mr. Runciman replied to a question
put by Mr. Pittington, who asked
whether his attention had been called to
a statement in the Times newspaper to
the effect that the firm in question
(London) Limited have, in their capacity
of shipbrokers, been offering to charter
tonnage on Government account. Whether
he has informed himself as to the reasons
why this particular firm was selected for
the purpose of chartering tonnage, and
any connection with the firm in
question; and whether he has any infor-
mation as to the reasons for the statement
referred to.

Mr. Runciman's answer was:—
"The International Joint Committee for
the purchase of wheat, of which I am not
and never have been a member, informed
me this morning as follows:—The com-
mittee came into existence on December
30 and Messrs. R. Ross Smith and Co.,
who went out of the corn trade in order to
be free from any competing private interest,
were appointed as agents. Pending other
arrangements which were under discussion,
and in view of the urgency of the demand
for grain tonnage, they continued their
practice of chartering the greater part of
their tonnage through the Runciman firm,
with whom they said they were satisfied
when dealing on their own account. The
new arrangement for opening a chartering
department in accordance with the wish
of the committee were completed last week.

"Before the committee was set up I took
part in the preliminary discussions and my
advice to the department concerned was
that they should employ one broker, and
because of inflated freights pay him not a
commission but a fixed sum for his ser-
vices. This was the plan suggested for
me to the Indian Wheat Company and
followed by them last season. To the
meeting at which I made this suggestion I
took the liberty of inviting Mr. Grayville,
who had served the Indian Committee
satisfactorily, but I have been informed
this morning that the arrangement has
been made with another gentleman, who
will have the same advantage as Mr.
Grayville of not labouring under the desir-
ability of being related to me. He will be
the servant of R. Ross Smith & Co."

"So far as the firm of Runciman is con-
cerned, I can only say that I retired from
it 10 years ago on taking office in the
Government of Sir Henry Campbell-
Bannerman, and since then my sole con-
nection with it is that the hon. member for
the Bartlepool is the head of it, and that
I am his son, a relationship of which I have
every reason to be proud.

"It is not for me to explain the motives
of new-papers in making insinuations con-
cerning the conduct of individual Ministers."

"It is necessary to add (remarks the
Times) that no insinuation concerning
an attack on Mr. Runciman was made by the
Times. But the fact that Sir Walter
Runciman happens to be the father of the
President of the Board of Trade cannot be
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EXECUTION OF BELGIANS.

STORY BY A GERMAN.

The Record Advertiser (Boston) prints an
astounding account of the execution of
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other prisoners in Belgium, in the form of
the following letter: I am writing to you
in an Ottoman Government official in
Berlin by the German Army Captain who
had charge of the execution of Mme.
Freney, and who has since "disappeared"
into Holland:—

"If I am fortunate enough to succeed in
crossing the frontier, I will attempt to com-
municate with you from Holland. I have
been considering this course for many
months, and perhaps, even now, would not
have summoned courage to make the
attempt had it not been for the fact that
I feel it is my duty to make a desperate
attempt to escape a sure and disgraceful
death in the guise of a sudden "dis-
appearance." Since our arrival in Belgium
we have executed exactly 5,781 Belgians on
one pretext or other, and this does not
include those whom we have destroyed
without the ceremony of military trial.
Terrible and inhuman as this case is,
it is not as pathetic as the case
of Mme. Freney, who was executed
early in October under my super-
vision. I am terribly ashamed that I
had to perform this gruesome task, which I
no longer consider as duty. At the time I
was stationed at the Fort of Chartreuse.
We learned through secret channels that
some more executions were to take place.
A comrade told me that 20 persons were
taken before the court martial, who sat like
a permanent court and pronounced
sentences. This court at Liege pronounced
sentences with the aid and expedition of
a common Police Magistrate. This batch
of 20 persons, several of them women, was
marched into the hall where the military
court held its session, between 4.30 and 5
p.m. At 7 the same day, about two hours
later, they were sentenced—11 were
condemned to death and the rest to penal
servitude in Germany for life.

At about 10 p.m. the same evening, it
was known that 3 out of the 11 that were
condemned to death by shooting were
executed before the next morning.
The procession was headed by Mme. Freney.
The last person was Julien Landers, a
Belgian writer of note, so I am told. The
commandant had anticipated difficulties.
These difficulties are known as the
"backward incidents." Instead of sending
10 soldiers to march back to the rear, and
10 in line, 5 in line, 5 in line, 10 men
formed the firing squad, the other
40, 4 deep, were reserves.

HORRIBLE SCENES.
The first victim is selected. The firing
squad in the front line is ordered to fire.
They withdraw, march to the rear, and
form the fifth line. The second line next
is ordered to fire the second victim; then
this line also steps back to the rear, and
now becomes the fifth line. So it is the
third line, and so on until every victim is
shot to death.

I selected the woman first. Not because
I had more pity for her. This was not my
motive. I might have thought so uncon-
sciously, perhaps. The truth is, I feared
myself. I suspected that I could not bear
the ordeal. Neither did I like the attitude
of the men, the soldiers. I stood up my
men, I stepped back, revolver in my hand I
gave the order—"Fire!" The squad instant-
ly fired. Mme. Louise Freney fell with a
scream. She was not shot mortally. A bul-
let had shattered her ankle. The awkward
incident had happened. I rushed at her,
stood her against the wall once more. She
screamed. "My God! My God! Why tor-
ture me?" She was crying. I ordered the
second squad. Once more she fell. But
this time she was not even struck. She
was terrified; she fainted. O God, what
torment! For a second I wanted to give
the command once more while holding her
in my own arms. Perhaps I would have
wiped the sweat off the name of my Father-
land, but I could not, and I am now, a
coward. We Germans have only dis-
ciplinary courage, otherwise we are
cowards.

I pulled out my revolver, put it under my
arm, and deliberately into the back of her right
ear, and killed her with my own hands. I
grieved me. I was relieved by a reserve
officer. Other officers were ordered out.
Knew very well in his mind the squad
commander, accompanied with threats, was
given. The rest of the execution proceeded
calmly. It only lasted 10 minutes.

Julien Landers was the last Belgian to
die. What courage! More courageous and
daring more daring were the victims than
we, their unwilling executioners.

Shortly after, the last lifeless body was
I fled from the ground.
The eight patriots were piled up in a
motor truck, like so many carcasses, and
speeded to the cemetery of Robermont.
Robermont, where several thousands of
other patriots and heroic Belgians are
buried in five, tens, and even as many as
twenty graves. At Robermont's large grave
was already awaiting the warm, the still
panting and vibrating bodies; their fresh
bullet wounds gaping. As their bodies
were covered with dirt and soil, one of my
superior officers said to me: "They will
be immortalized while the coming genera-
tion remember us as their executioners."

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MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

H.K. Horticultural Society's Annual Show.

9.30 p.m.—"The Angel in the House"
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General Memoranda.

FRIDAY, March 5—

9 a.m.—Excursion to Namo by a.s.
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MONDAY, March 6—

2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furni-
ture at 19 Ashley Road, Kowloon.

9.30 p.m.—"The Angel in the House"
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TUESDAY, March 7—

2.30 p.m.—Auction of Furniture,
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NATIONAL ECONOMY.

The great meeting which has just been held at the Guildhall in London for the purpose of emphasising the need for national economy was probably designed to prepare the country for the next War Budget, which may be expected some time next month. The telegraphic summaries which we have of the speeches delivered at this important gathering do not make it quite clear what exactly is meant by "national economy." While the Chancellor of the Exchequer told the meeting that Capital and Labour must be diverted from peace services to an enormous extent already, and we have Lord Kitchener saying that the problem now is how to take millions of men from the workshops and farms and still supply all the war material for the ever-increasing Army in the field. Only the Government can solve this problem, and when it comes forward with a carefully considered solution we have no doubt that the nation will acquiesce in whatever sacrifices may be deemed necessary in order to win the war in the shortest possible time. It will prove the cheaper course in the end. If Capital and Labour are to be further diverted from trade, it is for the Government to give the necessary guidance in the matter. Thus the Government must find a means of getting in touch with every capitalist, and tell him to what uses his capital should be devoted, just as it has already got into touch with every able-bodied single man and told him how his services will be employed. When Mr. BARNES indicates that the country will be divided up into districts for the purposes of local economies, we infer that the diversion of Capital and Labour from the administrative services is particularly contemplated, the money thus saved by local economies being diverted to the Imperial exchequer. The money necessary for the purposes of the war is in the country; it is simply a question of gathering it into the Imperial Exchequer. The novel taxes on imports which were imposed last year are said to have been more successful than was thought probable, and an extension of these is anticipated. The increased income-tax has only just begun to be paid, and we have seen it stated that the yield on what are known as the breakfast table duties continues high—a proof of national prosperity, high wages, and the large demand for labour. The Government's effort to induce the working classes to invest their surplus wages in War Bonds has met with scant success. A writer in the *Nineteenth Century* recently estimated the possible income of employees in the United Kingdom at nearly £1,000,000,000 a year, and suggested that the likeliest way to secure the co-operation of the working man is to pay him his wages

in vouchers instead of in Treasury notes, and to make these vouchers as readily negotiable as money. Another loan is regarded as inevitable, and the writer in the *Nineteenth Century* asked: "Why not have a Currency Loan? The Chancellor of the Exchequer some months ago made an appeal to employers of labour to pay wages in currency notes instead of gold. For this purpose, however, one kind of paper money is as good as another," urged the advocate of a Currency Loan, "provided that it is for small sums and is equally negotiable." The article was given pride of place in the leading magazine, but we have seen no indication of the suggestion being seriously entertained. The writer hardly hoped that a suggestion of such magnitude and revolutionary practice could escape the searching tests of City orthodoxy. "But when," he said, "we recall the ruinous expedients that were resorted to in order to raise money during the Napoleonic Wars, and also take into consideration the recommendation of a State Lottery that has been put forward as a means of luring subscribers, it is possible to regard the compulsory payment of wages, either wholly or in part, with legal tender vouchers as a comparatively cheap and innocuous method of raising some part of the huge sums indispensable in the present far costlier struggle." The Government evidently thinks the money can be raised by methods less revolutionary.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Council General of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul desire to acknowledge with thanks a donation of \$20 from an anonymous donor, to the funds of the Society.

The Bishop is announced to give a course of Lent Lectures on Wednesday mornings at 10.45 a.m.; the first on Wednesday next being in the Cathedral, and subsequent ones in his private chapel at St. Paul's College.

The Bishop of Victoria returned to the Colony today by the *Sunshine*. He and the Rev. H. G. E. Griffith have visited Hohov, Pakhoi and Lianchow. The Bishop held confirmations and confirmed fifty converts of the Church Missionary Society at Pakhoi and Lianchow.

"I have a letter here from a solicitor about a client who failed to turn up," said Mr. Justice Gompertz to the solicitors assembled in the Supreme Court this morning. "The letter is addressed to the Puisne Judge. I need hardly say that letters on official subjects should be addressed to the Puisne Judge's Clerk and not to the Puisne Judge."

A successful Bohemian Concert was given by the Naval Yard Recreation Club in the Club-room on Wednesday. The artists were Mrs. Goodman, Mrs. Brock, and Miss Goodall, Messrs W. Beane, A. Allan, W. B. Carver, A. J. Brock, W. A. Ballie, J. Hennessy, E. J. Stannard, Jones, and F. W. Wright, and Miss Brock and Master Mace, whilst Miss Stanley and Mr. H. B. Arnold were the accompanists. Mr. W. G. R. de la Roche was in the chair, and Mr. James was the Secretary, while Mrs. Goodman gave valuable assistance.

NEW CATHOLIC ORPHANAGE.

The "Asilo de Santo Antonio," the new building at No. 170, Taid Street, West Point, which has been erected by Dr. A. S. Gomez, K.S.G., in the memory of Mrs. Helena Brandao Gomez, and presented to the Italian Mission for use as an orphanage, was formally inaugurated yesterday.

Bishop Pozzani, in thanking the donor for his munificent gift, said it would perpetuate the memory of one of their greatest and most beloved benefactors, the memory of a devout and practical Catholic lady who was always ready to help those in distress, both privately and publicly, individuals as well as families and communities.

Among those present in addition to the Rt. Rev. Bishop Pozzani and Dr. A. S. Gomez, K.S.G., were the Very Rev. Fr. De Maria, the Rev. Fathers Gahardi, Spada, Carabelli, Banchi, Rossi, Andre, Paolo, Filogio and Tezzari; Madame G. Romano, Mrs. E. Rozario, Mrs. J. d'Almeida, Mrs. Leonora Figueredo, Sisters Fera and Figueredo; the Misses Azevedo, Chor, Yee, Messrs J. M. Castro Basto, J. M. Elachado, M. Xavier, C. Onuaga, M. Azevedo, P. Mendin, V. Aizen, E. Figueredo, the President General of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul and others. The band of the St. Louis Industrial School was in attendance, under Maestro Vassalo.

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HONGKONG HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL EXHIBITION.

Fine weather favoured the 1916 Exhibition of the Hongkong Horticultural Society, which opened today, and will continue tomorrow. The entries comprised generally a good collection of vegetables and flowers and the number of exhibitors, numbering 54, and the entries, showed a slight increase on last year. The Exhibition, as usual, was held in the Botanic Gardens, the space utilised being the pathways and promenade leading up to the central fountain. Mats had been erected to protect the exhibits from the sun and injury by downpours of rain. The arrangements were much the same as in previous years, the only alteration being with regard to the secretary's tent which this year was made to open into the Exhibition proper. The arduous secretarial duties were admirably carried out by Mr. A. Nicol, in succession to Mr. F. Howell, who conducted the Exhibition so successfully for a large number of years. Mr. Nicol superintended the numerous details connected with the show and the staging allowed gave exhibitors ample room and every satisfaction.

An improvement was noticeable in the vegetable classes, the season this year having been better suited than last to the production of good sized produce. In the collection of cabbages there were some extremely good entries, and particularly pleasing was the collection by Mr. Ho Kom Tong which obtained the premier award in the class open to all except Peak gardeners and Chinese market gardeners. While French beans were only of moderate quality, the lettuce and cabbages were numerous, clean and firm. Cauliflowers compared very favourably with former years and carrots showed an improvement, the exhibits being long and shapely in all classes. Celery and Brussels sprouts did not show up as well as one would have liked, but there was some competition in the size and quality of the lettuce. Onions were a good class but pumpkins were unusually poor.

Fruit exhibits were not numerous and the outstanding exhibit was a dish of delicious strawberries which easily won the first prize. The fruit was well shaped, large and well-ripened.

The exhibition of pot plants and flowers was similar to previous years and comprised a fine collection, the flowers bearing charming blossoms. Dahlias and roses were among the more noticeable, and sweet peas were quite prominent.

The table decorations were not so good as on former occasions and this section of the exhibition was somewhat spoilt by the absence of two intending exhibitors.

The judges were Mrs. Newall, Commander Beckwith, R.N., Mr. H. Humphreys, Mr. H. W. Looker, Mr. V. J. Tutehar and Mr. A. Nicol.

Lady May distributed the awards to the winners this afternoon.

During the afternoon the band of the 74th Punjabis played the following programme—

March—Vedetta—Dorothy—German Overture—Eton Boating Song—Kape Intermesse—Lion de Boul.—Morditi Selection—Pirates of Penzance—Bullion Song—Lo, here the gentle lady—Bishop Serenade—Salut d'amour—Eggar Patrol—Egyptian Dance—Farewell; Two-step—Policeman's Holiday—Ewing.

THE PRIZES.

The prize list was as appended—

PLANTS IN POTS—Open to all except Peak gardeners.

Three pots of Marguerite—1, Ladies' Golf Club; Fanning; 2, Sgt. Kerr.

Three pots of Nasturtium—1, Hon. Mr. D. Landale; 2, Sgt. Kerr.

Three pots of palms, other than fan palms—1, Lady Ho Tung; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

Three pots Sabia: 1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mr. Choa Po Sien.

Sir Paul Chater adjudged 1st.

Six pots of Annuals or plants potted from seed the same season: 1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Sgt. Kerr.

Three pots of flowering plants other than annuals: 1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mr. Choa Po Sien.

Sir Paul Chater adjudged 1st.

Three pots of Antirrhinum: 1, Mr. Choa Po Sien.

Three pots of Begonia—1, Hon. Mr. D. Landale; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

Sir Paul Chater adjudged 1st.

Three pots of Carnations—1, Mr. Choa Po Sien; 2, Mr. Chan Kang Yu.

Three pots of Dianthus—1, Mr. Choa Po Sien; 2, Hon. Mr. D. Landale.

Sir Paul Chater adjudged 1st.

Three pots of Cactus Dahlias—1, Mr. Choa Po Sien; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

Three pots of Dahlias, other than Cactus: 1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mr. Wong Kwong Tin.

Sir Paul Chater adjudged 1st.

Three pots of Heliotropes—1, Mrs. Stabb; 2, Hon. Mr. D. Landale.

Sir Paul Chater adjudged 1st.

Three pots of Larkspur—1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mrs. Templeton.

Three pots of Narcissus Taceta—1, Mr. Choa Po Sien.

Three pots of Nasturtium (various varieties)—1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

Sir Paul Chater adjudged 1st.

Three pots of Pansies—1, Mr. E. Ormiston; 2, Lady Ho Tung.

Three pots of Phlox Drummondii—1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Lady Ho Tung.

Three pots of Primula—1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Lady Ho Tung.

Three pots of Roses—1, Mr. Choa Po Sien.

Sir Paul Chater adjudged 1st.

Three pots of Violets—1, Mr. E. Ormiston; 2, Mrs. Stabb.

Three pots of Verbena—1, Mrs. Templeton; 2, Mrs. Machen.

Plants in Pots, Peak Gardens only.

Three pots of Palms—1, Mrs. Eda; 2, Mr. Wilkinson.

Three pots of Marguerite—1, Mr. Wilkinson; 2, Mr. G. A. Hastings.

Three pots of Tall Nasturtium—1, Sir Robert Ho Tung; 2, Mrs. Pollock.

Six pots of annuals or plants—1, Mrs. W. Murray Scott; 2, Sir Robert Ho Tung.

Three pots of flowering plants—1, Mr. Wilkinson; 2, Mrs. Newall.

Three pots of Arum—1, Sir Robert Ho Tung; 2, Mr. Wilkinson.

Three pots of Cactus Dahlias—1, Mr. T. Pearce; 2, Mr. J. Scott Harston.

Three pots of Dahlias: Highly commended—Sir Robert Ho Tung.

Three pots of Fuchsia—1, Sir Robert Ho Tung; 2, Mrs. T. Pearce.

Three pots of Geraniums—1, Mr. Wilkinson; 2, Sir Robert Ho Tung.

Three pots of Heliotropes—1, Mr. Wilkinson; 2, Sir Robert Ho Tung.

Three pots of Mignonette—1, Mr. J. W. Taylor; 2, Mr. G. A. Hastings.

Three pots of Pansies—1, Mrs. T. E. Pearce; 2, Mrs. Stabb.

Three pots of Phlox Drummondii—1, Mrs. W. Murray Scott; 2, Mrs. T. Pearce.

Open to all who do not employ a gardener.

Three pots of Annuals—1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mrs. G. A. Mackie.

VEGETABLES—Open to all except Peak Gardens and Chinese Market Gardeners.

Collection of Vegetables—1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mr. G. M. Shaw.

French Beans—1, Hon. Mr. D. Landale; 2, Lady Ho Tung.

Mr. Ho Kom Tong adjudged 1st.

Six Beets—1, Lady Ho Tung; 2, Sir Paul Chater, C.M.G.

Mr. Ho Kom Tong adjudged 1st.

25 Brussels Sprouts—1, Mr. G. N. Orme; 2, G. M. Shaw.

Four Cabbages—1, Inspector Gernard; 2, Mr. J. W. Bolles.

Four Cauliflowers—1, G. M. Shaw; 2, Sir Paul Chater.

Mr. Ho Kom Tong adjudged 1st.

Six Carrots—1, Mr. A. Nicol; 2, Mr. J. W. Bolles.

Four heads of Celery—1, Mr. E. Ormiston; 2, Mr. G. M. Shaw.

Six Lettuce—1, Sir Paul Chater, C.M.G.; 2, Lady Ho Tung.

Mr. Ho Kom Tong adjudged 1st.

Six Lettuce—1, Sir Paul Chater; 2, Mr. G. M. Shaw.

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13 Onions—1, Mr. G. M. Shaw; 2, Lady Ho Tung.

Six Parsnips—1, Sir Paul Chater; C.M.G.; 2, Hon. Mr. D. Landale.

Mr. Ho Kom Tong adjudged 2nd.

25 Pods of Peas—1, Mr. G. N. Orme; 2, Mr. G. M. Shaw.

Mr. Ho Kom Tong adjudged 2nd.

Twelve Potatoes—1, Mr. A. Nicol; 2, Lady Ho Tung.

25 Radishes—1, Mr. E. Ormiston; 2, Sir Paul Chater, C.M.G.

Savoy Cabbages—No awards. Mr. Ho Kom Tong adjudged 1st.

Tomatoes—1, Mr. Bailton; 2, Mr. A. Nicol.

Turnips—1, Mr. E. Ormiston; 2, Mr. A. Nicol.

Six bunches of Sweet Peas—Mr. A. Nicol; 2, Mrs. D. Templeton.

Six Cactus Dahlias—1, Mr. A. Nicholson; 2, Mr. A. Nicholson.

Six Carnations—1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mr. A. Nicholson.

Six Dahlias (not cactus)—2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

Mignonette—1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mr. A. Nicholson.

Nasturtium—1, Mr. E. Ormiston; 2, Mr. A. Nicol.

Pansies—1, Lady Ho Tung; 2, Sir Paul Chater, C.M.G.

Violets—1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mrs. Stabb.

Ladies flower sprays—1, Miss V. Seaman; 2, Hon. Mr. D. Landale.

Hand bouquet—2, Mrs. H. Harrington.

Wild Flowers—1, Miss May; 2, Mr. E. Ormiston.

Cut Flowers—Peak gardens only.

Sweet Peas—1, Mrs. W. Murray Scott; 2, Mrs. W. Murray Scott.

Cut flowers, distinct varieties—1, Mrs. W. Murray Scott; 2, Mr. Wilkinson.

Nasturtium—1, Sir Robert Ho Tung; 2, Mr. T. Pearce.

Best table decoration—1, Mrs. Hill; 2, Mrs. H. Harrington.

Canary C. Cooper, Special—Mr. E. Ormiston.

Violets—Special—Lady Ho Tung.

Antirrhinum—Special—Mr. J. W. Taylor.

Pansies—Special—Mrs. Eda.

Daffodils—Special—Mr. C. E. H. Beavis.

Special class of hanging ferns—Mr. Skelton.

Potatoes—Mr. Wong Kwong Tin.

Dwarf Nasturtium—Mrs. Wakeman.

Dahlias—Sir Robert Ho Tung.

Roses—Mr. Newall.

There were only three exhibits out of 11 promised, in a special class for Chinese market gardeners, in which prizes of \$20 and \$10 had been offered by Mr. H. W. Looker, and in many of the other classes there was a scarcity of exhibits.

CHINESE AFFAIRS.

(Wah Tse Yat Po's Service.)

FIGHTING IN SOUTH-WEST CHINA.

Peking, Mar. 1.

It is reported that there was severe fighting between Northern and Southern troops on February 26th and 27th on the district of Naphia.

The Southern troops pretended to accept defeat, but when Commander Cheong King Yin at the head of his force started to pursue them he found himself entrapped. His force suffered 30 casualties and he was himself wounded before reinforcements arrived.

The General Staff has ordered the Provinces to raise Volunteer Corps.

The Government intends to dispatch to Yunnan troops from Kiangsu, Chekiang and Anhui provinces, to co-operate with the troops of Kwangtung and Kwangsi.

Owing to the inconvenience which the Szechuan and Hunan troops have suffered from wearing leather shoes, Headquarters has sanctioned the use of straw sandals by these troops instead.

THE FRENCH LEGATION.

PEKING, Mar. 2.

The French Minister has been promoted to the rank of Ambassador.

THE DISHONESTY OF TAX COLLECTORS.

PEKING, Mar. 2.

A Mandate deposes several censors to proceed to the provinces for the purpose of investigating alleged malpractices in the collection of taxes.

"THE ANGEL IN THE HOUSE"

The curtain rises at 9.30 p.m. sharp to-morrow night (on Monday), by which time it is hoped everyone will be seated. For the convenience of Peak residents a special train will leave the Peak at 9.10 p.m.

The performance will conclude soon after midnight to-morrow. On Monday, however, the usual theatre hour (8.15) will be reverted to, making the close somewhat earlier than night.

Owing to the sudden indisposition of Miss Phoebe May, the part of "Eulalia" has been kindly undertaken at very short notice by Mrs. H. W. Looker, for whom the indulgence of the audience is requested.

A LIFE SAYER.

It is safe to say that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has saved the lives of more people and relieved more suffering than any other remedy in existence. It is known all over the civilized world for its speedy cures of cramps in the stomach, diarrhoea and all intestinal pains. For sale by all Chemists and Storekeepers.

THE MAGISTRACY.

"GOVERNMENT OPIUM."

Charged with issuing the Government's label for prepared opium, indicating that the contents of the pots were Government opium, two Chinese were this morning remanded. Each stated that the labels had been left behind by a friend. Revenue Officer Willis prosecuted.

AN OPIUM CASE.

A Chinese, aged 30, out on a bail of \$100 failed to appear this afternoon in answer to a charge of being in possession of a bag of opium other than Government opium. The case was adjourned from a previous hearing to allow defendant to produce the man who sold him the opium to prove that it was from Government stock. Neither defendant nor his witness appeared. \$90 of defendant's bail was ordered to be estrated. Mr. Russ appeared for the defence.

GOLD FISH STOLEN.

Mr. Wood on Saturday will investigate a charge against a sampan woman of stealing 17 gold-fish valued at \$14 the property of a Chinese gardener. Two boys will be also charged with receiving. Complaints brought down a large number of gold fish from Canton on the s. *Pai Pau* and on arrival at Hongkong engaged the woman's cargo-barge to take the fish to Kowloon. Seventeen were stolen in transit and complainant declared at the Police station that he saw the woman hand the fish to the boys.

CHARGE AGAINST A GOVERNMENT CLERK.

THE WAR.

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail)

A Berlin *communiqué* printed below gives what purports to be the number of prisoners and guns taken by the Germans throughout the battle north of Verdun, extending over several days. It may be useful for the purpose of comparison to recall that in the Allied offensive in Champagne last September, 27,000 Germans were taken prisoner and 121 heavy or field guns were captured.

THE VERDUN BATTLE.

RESULTS CLAIMED BY GERMANY.

LONDON, Mar. 1.
A Berlin official *communiqué* claims that in the whole of the battle north of Verdun the Germans took 16,800 prisoners, 78 guns (some of them heavy guns) and 80 machine-guns.

DEPRECIATION OF THE MARK ACCELERATED.

Telegrams from Scandinavia and Holland show that the German claims of successes have not arrested the fall in the value of the Mark. On the contrary, the depreciation is accentuated.

GERMANY AND HOLLAND.

NO SECRET UNDERSTANDING.

THE HAGUE, Mar. 1.
The Foreign Minister in the Chamber today denied that there was any secret understanding between Germany and Holland, and said Holland had in no wise abandoned her liberty of action.

AN AIR FIGHT.

WITNESSED BY BELGIANS IN THE TRENCHES.

LONDON, Mar. 1.
The Admiralty announces that Flight Sub-Lieutenant Simms today attacked and shot down a hostile aeroplane, which fell in flames a short distance in front of the Belgian lines.

The combat and the result was viewed by the Belgian soldiers in the trenches.

BULGARIANS DESERTING AT SALONIKA.

COMPLAINTS AGAINST THE GERMANS.

LONDON, Mar. 1.
Reuter's Correspondent at Headquarters at Salonika says that Bulgarian deserters are coming in daily. They complain of hardships and lack of food, while the Germans, who are well fed, are denuding the country of foodstuffs. Russian feeling is growing in Bulgaria.

THE LATE COMMANDER IN MESOPOTAMIA.

LONDON, Mar. 1.
General Sir John Nixon, who, owing to ill-health, was relieved of the command in Mesopotamia a few months ago has been received in audience by the King.

THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF NETHERLANDS INDIES.

CAPETOWN, Mar. 1.
Count Lembergsterum, the new Governor-General of the Dutch East Indies, was entertained at lunch by General Botha. The gathering included the Governor-General and Lady Buxton, the Hon. Mr. Merriman, and Sir J. Smarrt.

THE TSAR A BRITISH FIELD-MARSHAL.

PETROGRAD, Mar. 1.
H.M. the Tsar, in thanking the King for the taton of a British Field-Marshal expressed his assurance that British and Russians would soon be fighting side by side.
General Sir F. Paget, who presented the taton, said it was a token of the King's affection and a tribute to the heroism of the Russian Army.

EXPLOSION ON THE "TENNYSON."

THE WORK OF GERMANS.

REO DE JANEIRO, Mar. 1.
The Police have ascertained that two Germans caused the explosion on the steamer *Tennyson*.

SUBMARINE 'FRIGHTFULNESS.'

CONFIDENCE IN THE NAVY.

LONDON, Mar. 1.
Today marks the much-anticipated opening of Germany's new submarine 'frightfulness.'
The new threat is not ridiculed, especially as it is not doubted that Germany has been building new and more powerful submarines, but every confidence is felt in the Navy.

The Admiralty has appropriately issued a list of forty unarmed merchantmen, fourteen of them neutrals, which have been 'submarine' without warning during the past year to December 31st, excluding undoubted cases of submarine omitted from the list because of absence of actual proof.

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK.

LONDON, Mar. 2.
The British steamer *Thornaby* has been sunk. All on board were either killed or drowned.

The *Thornaby* is a steamer of 1,129 tons belonging to Messrs. R. Rogers and Co., and registered at West Hartlepool. She was built in 1890.

AMERICA AND ARMED MERCHANTMEN.

FORTHCOMING DEBATE IN PARLIAMENT.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 1.
The Armed Merchantmen Question will be debated in Parliament. It is expected that with the support of Republicans, a vote of confidence in President Wilson will be carried.

CALLING UP MARRIED MEN.

LONDON, Mar. 1.
The papers state that a Proclamation will be issued in a few days calling up eight groups of the married men who have attested.

Today is the last day for voluntary enlistment.
The papers state that there was little evidence of a widespread desire to attest on the part of the men affected. There were hundreds of recruits in London yesterday but no rush.

A MORATORIUM UNDER CONSIDERATION.

In the House of Commons Mr. Walter Long stated that the Government was considering the question of a moratorium in regard to the liabilities of married men who had enlisted under Lord Derby's scheme. Mr. Tennant said every endeavour would be made to transfer married men who were liable for military service to reserved occupations in place of single men. Power would be reserved to extend the age-limit of enlistment. At present this was not considered necessary.

THE IMPORT OF OPIUM INTO ENGLAND.

LONDON, Mar. 2.
In the House of Commons, replying on behalf of the War Trade Committee to questions regarding the withholding of permits to re-export opium, Mr. Bridgeman said he did not consider the stocks in hand to exceed the necessities of the country. The suggestion that the imports of opium were being restricted in the interests of the manufacturers of morphia was unfounded. He did not consider that the policy of safeguarding the home supplies would injure the country's trade.

BAKERS' STRIKE IN MADRID.

RIOTS IN THE CITY.

MADRID, Mar. 1.
The bakers' strike, owing to the dearth of flour, has led to general strike riots. Some arrests have been made and a few people have been wounded.

THE MAYOR HAS RESIGNED.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

NATIONAL ECONOMY.

SPEECHES BY MR. MCKENNA AND LORD KITCHENER.

LONDON, March 1.
A great meeting at the Guildhall has been held to discuss national economy. Mr. Asquith was not able to be present, owing to a chill.

Mr. McKenna, Chancellor of the Exchequer, increased taxation, and said that capital must be diverted from peace services. In order to win the war, all must economise and do their utmost to postpone expenditure until after the war.

Mr. McKenna laid the greatest emphasis on the interdependence of Trade and Victory. We were not to get out from our Allies in this war because the ultimate burden of supply falls on Great Britain which could only bear it if it is fully maintained. He declared, amid cheers, that we must never again be dependent on Germany for things essential to our trade. The Government were prepared to give assistance to our foreign trade in order to ensure that our bitter enemies shall not have the control they had had in the past.

Mr. Barnes, the Labour M.P., indicated that the country would be divided up into districts for purposes of local economies.

Lord Kitchener made a splendid appeal to Britons. He wanted all the men possible for the army, and increasing supplies of munitions. The problem was how to take millions of men from the workshops, farms, etc., and still supply all the war material. There must be the utmost economy. Thus civilians, men and women alike, must help to achieve victory.

Mr. Balfour said that every man must regulate his personal expenditure so as best to help national interests.

Mr. Bonar Law said that was one of our chief weapons of war, Germany had plunged the world in misery believing it would pay. He, however, was united in saying that Germany should never again be allowed to exploit the Empire. We must, therefore, 'after the war, examine these problems in conjunction with the Dominions, who were as entitled as we were to say what the future policy should be.

RUSSIA'S FINANCES.

A BIG DEFICIT.

PETROGRAD, March 1.
The Budget reveals a deficit of £37,000,000 sterling. The war is costing £3,000,000 daily. The revenue from drink has fallen from 68,000,000 to less than a million.

The Finance Minister emphasises that Russia must have full economic independence, and he is confident that after the war a rich and powerful Russia will arise.

MONTREAL DISASTER.

GRAND TRUNK STATION DESTROYED.

OTTAWA, March 1.
The Grand Trunk station at Montreal has been burned. German incendiaries are suspected. The main building was consumed in less than an hour. The damage is put at \$300,000.

WAR AND COMMERCE.

MINISTRY OF COMMERCE ADVOCATED.

LONDON, March 1.
The Chambers of Commerce have passed a resolution unanimously urging the Government to take immediate steps to create a Ministry of Commerce with a seat in the Cabinet, aided by a permanent Advisory Council, with the Dominions and the India Office represented.

Mr. Bonar Law announced that an Economic Allied Conference would be held in Paris regarding trade after the war.

NORTH OF VERDUN.

NO IMPORTANT EVENT.

PARIS, March 1.
North of Verdun and in Woivre there has been no important event. There has been an intermittent bombardment at different points on our front.

We bombarded the German first and second lines westward of Pont-a-Mousson, where the Germans appeared to be carrying out alarm exercises. We also bombarded the German lines of communication at Cernay. A French double-engine aeroplane, which burst into flames on landing.

TROUBLE Averted.

THAT little cold and sore throat of yours must be checked, as once it may develop into something worse. Take a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and your troubles will soon vanish. For sale by all Chemists and Druggists.

SPORTING.

HONGKONG TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

THE DRAWS AND HANDICAPS.

The drawings and handicaps for the Tennis Tournament which commences this month are as follows:

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP SINGLES.

Wong Po Kuang v. Capt. Milner Jones.
A. J. Yravorich v. F. A. Radmond.
A. H. Crook v. Jose M. de J. Lopes.
H. L. Yang v. H. A. Nisbet.
The following have byes in the first round:—
H. Hancock and Y. C. Chow.
F. W. Cary and L. N. Murphy.
Rev. C. L. Cooper-Hunt and N. E. Kent.

H. J. Verney and Wan Yip Shung.
Ng Sze Cheung and Ng Sze Kwong.
W. L. Wei and Capt. O. R. Hamilton.
Those coupled together in byes will oppose each other in the second round.

PROFESSIONAL PAIRS.

Rev. C. L. Cooper-Hunt and Capt. Hamilton v. R. Hancock and H. Hancock.
The following have byes and will meet each other in the second round:—
P. P. J. Woodhouse and J. R. Wood v. Lt. Col. Fletcher and Capt. Milner Jones.
C. E. H. Davis and E. Davidson v. F. Bevington and T. W. Hill.
Dr. Lindsay Woods and Dr. Glaister v. S. H. Dodwell and F. Syme-Thompson.
S. E. Group and A. A. Claxton v. H. A. Nisbet and A. G. M. Fletcher.
A. H. Crook and R. J. Birbeck v. Rev. C. L. Cooper-Hunt and Capt. Hamilton.
F. A. Radmond and K. Brayshaw v. W. J. Morrison and W. J. Hodge.
R. P. Thurlfield and L. N. Murphy v. H. C. Sandford and J. MacDonald.
Lt. Col. Crip and Capt. O. R. Hamilton v. W. G. Worcester and H. B. L. Dowbiggin.

HANDICAP SINGLES.

Rev. C. L. Cooper-Hunt (owe 3-6) v. S. E. Green (owe 30).
L. N. Murphy (owe 3-6) v. F. A. Radmond (scratch).
H. J. Verney (rec. 3-6) v. T. W. Hill (rec. 3-6).
Lt. Col. Faichnis (rec. 4-6) v. Capt. Milner Jones (rec. 15-1).
H. A. Nisbet (owe 30) v. A. A. Claxton (rec. 3-6).
The following have byes in the opening round:—
O. R. Hamilton (owe 15-3) v. K. Brayshaw (rec. 3-6).
N. E. Kent (owe 15) v. F. W. Cary (owe 15-2).
A. Whitmarsh (rec. 2-6) v. R. A. Brand (scratch).
W. G. Worcester (rec. 15) v. E. Abraham (rec. 4-6).
A. H. Crook (rec. 15-1) v. F. Kinchin Smith (rec. 15).

HANDICAP SINGLES.

Dr. Lindsay Woods (scratch) v. E. Davidson (owe 15).
W. P. C. Tufford (rec. 2-6) v. A. R. Roworth (scratch).
C. C. Stark (owe 2-6) v. Dr. Glaister (scratch).
P. S. Leigh-Bennett (owe 15-2) v. O. F. Lubatti (owe 1-6).
C. F. Maltby (rec. 3-6) v. R. O. Hutchison (rec. 2-6).
E. B. Reed (rec. 15) v. N. J. Austin (rec. 3-6).
H. E. Muriel (owe 15-3) v. J. Syme-Thompson (owe 15-3).
A. Morse (rec. 3-6) v. J. A. Ridgway (rec. 4-3).
The following have byes:—
W. J. Morrison (rec. 2-6) v. Hon. Mr. Claud Severn (rec. 15-3).
O. H. Ritter (owe 2-6) v. G. W. Sewell (owe 15-3).
H. W. Weyler (rec. 3-6) v. Dr. Koch (rec. 15-2).
F. Bevington (scratch) v. F. Wander Wal (rec. 3-6).

HANDICAP DOUBLES.

J. MacDonald and W. J. Morrison (rec. 3-6) v. S. E. Green and Lt. Col. Crip (owe 15-3).
Hon. Mr. Claud Severn and G. Hastings (rec. 15) v. D. G. Cheesman and S. R. Waller (rec. 15-3).
F. W. Cary and Dr. Koch (rec. 2-6) v. Capt. Hammond and J. W. Francis (rec. 4-6).
Lt. Col. Faichnis and Capt. Milner Jones (owe 2-6) v. R. Hancock and H. Hancock (owe 30).
The following have byes:—
A. H. Crook and A. B. Roworth (rec. 2-6) v. W. E. Hoogwerf and H. W. Weyler (rec. 5-6).
G. W. Sewell and A. A. Claxton (scratch) v. Dr. Glaister and G. A. Penitath (rec. 3-6).
H. T. Jackman and E. B. Reed (rec. 15-3) v. A. L. Gage and E. A. Brand (owe 2-6).
O. Thorne and J. R. Wood (rec. 2-6) v. F. Sutton and F. A. Bidler (rec. 4-6).
W. G. Worcester and C. F. H. Beavis (rec. 2-6) v. F. A. Radmond and N. E. Kent (owe 15-2).
A. C. Leith and H. E. Muriel (rec. 15) v. W. P. C. Tufford and F. Kinchin Smith (rec. 5-6).
S. H. Dodwell and H. A. Nisbet (owe 15-4) v. O. H. Ritter and H. B. L. Dowbiggin (rec. 15).

HANDICAP DOUBLES.

F. Bevington and D. E. Clark (rec. 4-6) v. Dr. Lindsay Woods and E. Abraham (rec. 1-6).
W. J. Zundin and W. J. Hodge (rec. 15) v. P. P. J. Woodhouse and R. O. Hutchison (rec. 15).

D. E. Donnelly and L. M. Whyte (rec. 15) v. R. P. Thurlfield and P. S. Leigh-Bennett (rec. 2-6).

T. E. Paine and C. W. Baswick (rec. 3-6) v. Rev. C. L. Cooper-Hunt and Capt. O. R. Hamilton (owe 15).

C. D. Johnson and T. W. Hill (rec. 2-6) v. H. J. Verney and I. Grant Smith (owe 2-6).

H. C. Sandford and L. N. Murphy (scratch) v. P. S. Cassidy and Morse (rec. 15-3).

H. W. Shade and E. Davidson (scratch) v. C. C. Stark and A. Whitmarsh (owe 1-4).

MIXED POUBLES HANDICAP.

N. L. Smith and Mrs. Smith (rec. 5-6) v. Capt. and Mrs. Hammond (owe 3-6).

Miss Wilkinson and S. H. Dodwell (owe 4-6) v. Mrs. J. L. McPherson and J. R. Wood (rec. 2-6).

Miss Gordon and P. P. J. Woodhouse (rec. 15-3) v. Mrs. Gompertz and W. G. Worcester (rec. 15-6).

Mrs. W. Manning and R. P. Thurlfield (rec. 1-8) v. Dr. and Mrs. Glaister (scratch).

Rev. S. L. and Mrs. Cooper-Hunt (owe 15) v. Mrs. Laves and Capt. Hamilton (owe 15-1).

Mr. and Mrs. Nisbet (owe 30) v. Mrs. Jenkins and A. G. M. Fletcher (rec. 15).

Mrs. Moxon and R. Hancock (owe 30) v. Miss Hastings and R. A. Brand (rec. 1-6).

Mr. and Mrs. C. Stark (rec. 1-8) v. Mrs. Whitmarsh and N. E. Kent (owe 15).

The following have byes:—
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Greaves (scratch) v. Mrs. C. D. Lambert and G. W. Sewell (owe 3-6).

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pearce (rec. 15) v. Mrs. W. Armstrong and H. R. Phelps (owe 15-3).

Miss Robertson and C. Horne (rec. 1-8) v. Mrs. P. D. Wilson and H. T. Jackman (rec. 15-3).

Mrs. F. M. Crawford and F. Sutton (rec. 3-6) v. Mrs. Forsyth and L. N. Murphy (owe 1-6).

KOWLOON GOLF.

CAPTAIN RITCHIE CUP.

The draw for the Captain Ritchie Cup handicap to be played for by members of the Kowloon C.C. Golf section was made yesterday, and resulted as follows:—
First Round.—Mead and Nelson v. Crapnell and Hamilton.
Second Round.—Winners of first round to play Dryden and Wilson; Hyde and Overy v. McLennan and Silstone; May and McKinnon v. Ellis and Harvey; Jack and Davidson v. Goodwin and McLachlan; Edwards and Stalker v. McKenzie and Knopson; Robinson and Finch v. Elson and Huby; Green and Beavis v. Chunyat and Raitton M.L.; Atkinson and Easton v. Raitton N.L. and McLeod.
First and second rounds to be completed by March 18th. Second prizes will be given by the Club.

CAPTAIN AND STEIN CUPS.

The draw in the Captain's Cup is:—
Stevens and Robinson; winner to play E. J. Edwards; Bryson and Jack; McLennan and Mead; Elson and May.In the Stein Cup the draw is:—
First Round.—N. L. Raitton and May; Stevens and Jack; winner to play Hyde and Crapnell; Mead and Elson; Goodwin and Atkinson; winner to play McLennan and Edwards.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

CHALLENGE SHIELD SEMIFINAL.

HONGKONG v. REST OF MILITARY.

The Club and the Rest of the Military are to play off their semi-final on the Club ground at 4.30 p.m. to-morrow.

The Club will be represented by the following:—J. Rodger; F. W. Black and J. McCubbin; M. L. Raitton, J. Stewart, and T. R. Chasels; G. A. Robinson, W. H. Vivesah, J. M. Walker, H. McE. McTavish, and J. Stalker. Mr F. W. Wright will be the referee.

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& Y. KOHAMA	Capt. G. C. TALBOT, R.N.R.	Passage.	
LONDON & BOMBAY via NOVARA	24th Mar.	About	Freight and
Local Ports of Call	Capt. H. R. HENDERSON, R.N.R.	Passage.	
SHANGHAI, MOI, KOBE, NAGOYA	25th Mar.	About	Freight and
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PAKHAI & HAIPHONG	SUNGKING	Mar. 6, at 10 a.m.
SHANGHAI	AKHUT	Mar. 7, at 4 p.m.
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MANILA	YUENSANG	SUNDAY, Mar. 5, at 8 a.m.
BOHOW & HAIPHONG	HOPSSANG	TUESDAY, Mar. 7, Daylight.
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NANKIN	Mar. 5	9	MONGOLIA	Apr. 9
NOVARA	Mar. 20	24	MALWA	Apr. 30
MALTA	Apr. 3	7	REHMA	May 8
NAGAYA	Apr. 17	21	MOULTAN	May 22
NAMURA	May 1	5	SEASGAR	May 26
NANKIN	May 15	19	KARMAIA	June 12
NOVARA	May 29	31	SEASGAR	June 19
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MONGARA	Jan. 29	31	Feb. 18	Mar. 19
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reference to the case of Miss Chapman
formerly an engineer on China Coast
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Down, a sister of the man found wandering
in the city at whose garret, after his
removal to the Whitechapel Infirmary, a
bag of gold, several bank books, and
valuable securities amounting to a consider-
able sum were found attached before the
Whitechapel Board of Guardians at their
meeting to make an application in refer-
ence to the case.The relieving officer in charge of the case
informed the board that he had in his
possession 1,800 letters, several bank books,
and other securities, which had been found
in a room occupied by the man Chapman
on the top floor of Leighton Buildings,
Thrawl Street. He had not found any will,
but he had discovered a large sealed packet
addressed to the National Bank of Ireland
at Belfast, and he suggested that it should
be opened in the presence of the clerk to
the guardians and Miss Chapman.The chairman assented to the proposal,
and Miss Chapman, in answer to questions,
said she constantly heard from her brother
by letter, but he would never let her know
where he lived. She was not aware that
he had become insane. He had been in
the lunatic asylum and the thought of
living at St. Helena, Lancashire. There
was also a younger sister, and it was on her
behalf that she (Miss Chapman) desired to
obtain a share of her brother's possessions.It was pointed out by the chairman that
the patient was at present confined in
Stone Asylum, where the sister, he said,
could rest assured of his receiving every
possible consideration and care. Mean-
while the guardians would take charge of
his affairs in order to meet the cost of his
maintenance. Should he die, his property
would go to the next-of-kin. The patient,
however, might recover, and in that event
he would, of course, dispose of his property
as he thought fit.The Rev. Thomas Johnson: I think the
lady may rely upon it that the guardians
will take care of all the property. But,
of course, we cannot make persons bene-
ficiaries. (Hear, hear.)After further discussion the chairman
promised that Miss Chapman would have
every facility with regard to the expenses of
Stone Asylum without delay, and that was
the most, he added, the board could do.BIG WARSHIPS SURVIVE SUB-
MARINES AND MINES.The New York Herald's naval
correspondent writes from London:The end of 1915 shows no material
change in the naval situation, and the
events of the last twelve months leave
unshaken the control of the sea to com-
munications which the Allies asserted at
the beginning of the struggle.The principal factor is still the Grand
Fleet in the North Sea under Admiral Sir
John Jellicoe, which by reason of its
superiority in numbers of ships, in gun-
power, in mobility and in the experience
and sea aptitude of its officers and men,
retains that initiative which by a prompt
mobilization was seized at the outbreak of
war. The Grand Fleet, however, cannot
force the enemy to come out if he chooses
to continue his policy of harassing his
ships at home, either in the hope that a
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peace negotiations. What the Grand Fleet
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factor in the war on the side of the Allies,
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power of the sea is the big ship, whether
dreadnought or battle-cruiser. Sea power
rests on the ability to maintain a fleet of
these types. The strategy exercised by the
Allies in the events of the last twelve
months, and chiefly in the moves which put
a stop to two important phases of German
naval activity, the raids on the east coast
of England and the cruiser attack on the
trade routes.Next to the retention of its premier
position by the battleship and the disappa-
earance of exaggerated opinions concerning
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SINGAPORE, February 21st.

STERLING SHARE.

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1/2 Anglo-Java 1/10 1/16

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PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$15,000,000

RESERVE FUND.....\$15,000,000

Sterling.....\$15,000,000

Silver.....\$15,000,000

RESERVE LIABILITIES.....\$15,000,000

To-day's Advertisements

SEALED TENDERS in duplicate will be received at the R. N. Hospital, until 10 a.m. on 15th March, 1916, from persons desirous of supplying Biscuits, Mutton, Poultry, Potatoes, Apples, and other provisions, and necessary for the year ending 31st March, 1917.

Sealed Tenders in duplicate will also be received for Coal (A and B) and other provisions, and necessary for the year ending 31st March, 1917. Particulars can be obtained at the R. N. Hospital, in reserved.

DONALD T. HOSKINS, Surgeon-General, R. N. Hospital, Hongkong, March 3, 1916. 193

GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY, LTD. OF DENMARK.

UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS.
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2nd Feb. Amoy Ngoulin.
2nd Feb. Amoy Chow Kung.
12th Feb. Amoy Chow Kung.
20th Feb. Amoy Focktshun.
Hongkong, March 3, 1916. 194

PUBLIC AUCTION.
The undersigned have received instructions from H. M. VICTORIANO, Store Officer, to sell by Public Auction.

WEDNESDAY, the 8th March, 1916, at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voeux Road, Corner of Ice House Street.

A QUANTITY OF STORES.

As follows:—
Chocolate, Split Peas, Flour, Raisins, Oat Meal, Pearl Barley, Rice, Marrowfat Peas, Tobacco Leaf.

And
A number of Sun Helmets.

Terms:—As usual.
HUGHES & HUGHES, Auctioneers, Hongkong, March 3, 1916. 192

PEAK TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

TIME TABLE.

WEEK-DAYS.
7.00 a.m. to 8.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes.
8.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes.
11.00 a.m. to 12.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.
12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.
1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.
1.45 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.
2.15 p.m. to 2.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.
2.45 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

NIGHT CARS.
3.50 p.m. and 9 p.m. 9.30 p.m. to 11.00 p.m. every half hour.
11.00 p.m. to 11.45 p.m. every quarter of an hour.

SUNDAY.
1.45 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. Every 15 minutes.
10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes.
11.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon. Every 15 minutes.
12.00 noon to 1.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.
1.00 p.m. to 1.30 p.m. Every 15 minutes.
1.30 p.m. to 2.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.
2.00 p.m. to 2.30 p.m. Every 15 minutes.
2.30 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.
3.00 p.m. to 8.10 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

NIGHT CARS as on Week Days.

SPECIAL CARS at 12 midnight.
SPECIAL CARS by arrangement at the Company's Office, ALEXANDRA BUILDING, Des Voeux Road Central.

Season and punch tickets available for all cars not already full running at the time stated in the Company's time tables, but not for special cars, can be obtained on application at the Company's Office.

No Season ticket will be issued until payment thereof has been made in Bank Notes or by Cheque or Compro order representing Bank Notes.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.

HONGKONG REGISTER.

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TO LET

FURNISHED BUNGALOW "BREN-TOR" 114, Peak.
Apply—
DR. E. EVAN JONES, 187 Hongkong, March 2, 1916.

TO LET.
FIRST CLASS SHOP in Chater Road; whole or part; large at rear.
Apply—
CLARK & CO. Hongkong, Jan. 19, 1916.

TO LET.
UNFURNISHED FLATS in Nathan Road, Kowloon.
Apply—
PERCY SMITH, SETH & FLEMING, Hongkong, Feb. 23, 1916. 171

TO LET.
OFFICES in Queen's Buildings.
Apply—
THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY CO. LTD. Hongkong, Dec. 8, 1915. 1049

TO LET.
OFFICES, 5 Duddell Street, now in occupation of Messrs. Radecker & Co.
THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY CO. LTD. Hongkong, Feb. 16, 1916. 128

TO LET.
A HOUSE in Knutsford Terrace.
THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY CO. LTD. Hongkong, Nov. 3, 1915.

TO LET.
11 and 13 GAGE STREET, from 1st January, 1916.
Apply to—
J. VINCENT BRAGA, Toyo Kasei Kaisha, Hongkong, Nov. 15, 1915. 973

TO LET.
NEWLY BUILT FLATS in Saifee Terrace, Nathan Road, also similar flats in Jordan Road, Kowloon. Rents very moderate. Electric Light and Gas installed.
Apply to—
KAYAMALLY & Co., 5, D'Almeida Street, Hongkong, Feb. 29, 1916. 175

TO LET.
HOUSES IN KOWLOON TO LET.
No. 6, Ormsby Terrace.
And One Stable behind No. 1, Lyndman Villas.
Apply to—
YEE SANG FAT & Co., 34, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong. 1044

TO LET.
TWO HOUSES in "Stonhenge", No. 5, Robinson Road. Newly done up and remodelled.
Each house contains downstairs two good rooms and upstairs three bedrooms, each with bathroom.
Cutehouse and Grass Tennis Court. Shortly available for occupation.
Apply to—
DAVID SASSOON & Co., Ltd. Hongkong, Dec. 22, 1915. 168

TO LET.
OFFICES at 2 Connaught Road.
OFFICES in King's Buildings.
OFFICES in Des Voeux Road Central.
HOUSES in OLYMPIA GARDENS.
NEW HOUSES in Broadwood Terrace.
HOUSES at the Peak.
No. 1, MORETON TERRACE, Causeway Bay.
GODOWNS at Wanchoi.
Nos. 1, 2 & 3 West End Terrace, CANTON.
Apply.
HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY CO. LTD. Hongkong, Dec. 18, 1915. 940

TO LET.
THREE-ROOMED FLATS in Humphreys Buildings, Kowloon.
FOUR-ROOMED FLATS in May Road, with every modern convenience, including English Bath and Kitchen Ranges, Hot Water and Water Carriage System. A few flats specially designed to accommodate three bachelors at reasonable rents. Immediate possession.
FOUR-ROOMED HOUSES in Gordon Terrace and Salisbury Avenue, Kowloon.
TWO ROOMED-FLATS in Nathan Road, Kowloon.
Apply to—
HUMPHREYS ESTATE & FINANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, Alexandra Buildings, Hongkong, Dec. 29, 1915.

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A good solid metal safe is for sale. Table & chairs, with Wines & Liquors of the best. ALEXANDRA CAFE.

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INTIMATIONS

ANY EUROPEAN, NON-ASIATIC or INDIAN desiring to leave the Colony should apply in writing for permission to do so to the Captain Superintendent of Police, at least 48 hours before the intended hour of departure, giving name, nationality, age, sex, height and occupation of the applicant, and stating the name of the train by which the applicant wishes to leave. Applicants should apply in person for their passes at the Central Police Station between the hours of 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. daily.

NOTICE.
IN WHICH ARE TESTED THE SHAKES OF THE OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD. and THE RAILWAY PASSENGERS ASSURANCE CO.

TOTAL FUNDS at 31st DECEMBER, 1914, £23,970,367.
I—Authorized Capital £8,000,000
Subscribed Capital £4,500,000
Paid up Capital £2,437,500
II—Fire Fund £1,337,047
III—Life & Annuity Funds £17,587,580
Sinking Fund Account £23,250
£23,970,367

Revenue Fire Branch £2,381,458
Life and Annuity £2,141,593
Revenue Marine Department £37,329
Other Receipts £49,940
£3,339,323

The Accumulative Funds of the various Branches are separately invested and, by Act of Parliament, are set aside to meet the claims under the respective Departments of the Company's Business.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO. Agents.

ROYAL OBSERVATORY.
HONGKONG DAILY WEATHER REPORT.
MARCH 3, 1916.—a.m.

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